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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 14, 2002, enclosed is a new Form PTO-1449. Please consider this Form PTO-1449 with the August 14, 2002 Information Disclosure Statement. This new Form PTO-1449 corrects an inadvertent typographical error. That is, in the 3<sup>rd</sup> listing under "Other Documents" "JP 09 012451A" should have correctly read "JP 09 012454A".

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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